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REMARKS

In an Office Communication dated August 25, 2005, the Examiner indicates that Applicants' submission filed on August 12, 2005 has been entered.

The Examiner further states that the submission is not fully responsive to prior Office Action because newly submitted claims 29-48 are directed to an invention that is independent or distinct from the invention originally claimed. Applicants have cancelled claims 29-45 without prejudice. Claims 46-49 have been amended. New claims 50-65 are added. Applicants submit that the amended and new claims are directed to the invention originally claimed.

The Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner enter the amendment.

Respectfully submitted,



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